PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: DRUG CARRIERS COMPRISING AMPHIPHILIC BLOCK COPOLYMERS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Final Office Action dated November 6, 2009 to May 6, 2010.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$1110.00 and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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